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Commissioner For Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE **BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES** Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the examiner date, 1-7, 9-12, 14-28, 30-32, and 34-46 rejecting the following claims The fee for this Notice of Appeal is (37 CFR 1.17(B)) \$500.00. (complete (a) or (b) as applicable ) The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.13 6(a) apply. (a) Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 (FEES: 37 CFR 1.17 (a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below: 2nd Month 1et Month 3rd Month 4th Month \$450 \$1050 \$1590 \$120 The extension fee has already been filed in this application (b) Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time. \$0.00\*\*(see note below) Please charge to Deposit Account 08-2025 the sum of SECOLORS . At any time during the pendency of this application. please charge any fees required or credit any over payment to Deposit Account 08-2025 pursuant to 37 CRF 1.25. Addionally please charge any fees to Deposit Account 08-2025 under 37 CFR 1.16 through 1.21 inclusive, and any other sections in Title 37 of the Code of Federal Regulations that may regulate fees. \*\*PLEASE NOTE THAT A NOTICE OF APPEAL AND \$500 FEE WAS PREVIOUSLY FILED/PAID ON 9/25/2006 IN THIS CASE.\*\* Respectfully submitted. Timothy P. Blair, et al. I hereby certify that this document is being transmitted to the Patent and Trademark Office Bv: / CWG / via eletronic filing. Charles W. Griggers Date of Transmission: July 9, 2007 Attorney/Agent for Applicant(s) Reg No.: 47,283 Date: July 9, 2007 Telephone: 770-933-9500